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## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Gould's Academy opens Sept. 5.  
George Ryerson spent Sunday at Old Orchard.

Loren Glines is spending a few days in Norway.  
Mrs. H. N. Upton is spending a few days in Portland.

Rev. W. D. Eldridge went to Portland, Tuesday morning.  
Mrs. Nahum Barker is visiting friends in Portland.

Mrs. Fred Chandler and daughter have returned to Gilead.  
Arrival Carver and wife of Greenwood, called on W. Grover today.

Miss Elsie Brackett of Westbrook is a guest of Mrs. L. P. Barker.  
Miss Cora Farwell has gone to Norway, to attend the Summer school.

The Ladies' Club will meet with Mrs. J. A. Twiddle, Thursday afternoon.  
Mrs. Nora Marsden spent Sunday with her children at the home of her parents.

Rev. Arthur Shirley preached at the Congregational church last Sunday morning.  
Mrs. Samuel Holbrook and two daughters, of Brunswick, are guests at Mr. J. U. Purington's.

Miss Jennie Capen started for Lynn, Mass., Tuesday, where she has obtained employment in a shoe factory.  
Prof. Ernest H. Pratt has been elected principal of the High School at Ellsworth, Me., instead of Ellsworth, N. H.

Mrs. Teresa Grover and Miss Susan Plaisant are spending a few days at the Fifth Maine Building, Peabody Island.  
The friends of Mrs. Barrows, who is at the Maine General Hospital, will be pleased to know that she is steadily improving.

Rev. Martin Knoland, D.D., of Boston, addressed an interesting audience at the M. E. church, last Sunday, on the subject of Sunday observance.  
Attention is called of those who contemplate attending the Summer school at Norway that it will begin on Monday, July 31, at 9 o'clock a.m.

Miss Lillian Grover of Brockton, Mass., is spending a short vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Lombard and Mrs. Lewis Sanborn, at the home of the latter near the steam mill.  
Capt. R. B. Grover and wife of Brockton, Mass., and Capt. Grover's sister, Mrs. Eliza Grover Barker of Meriden, Conn., have arrived here on Monday, for the purpose of staying among old friends.

Mrs. Barker has not been in Bethel before, since 1881.  
Mrs. Arthur Shirley left Bethel Monday afternoon, for Upton, Mass., to visit friends and will be joined by her husband, Rev. Arthur Shirley, later. He left on the afternoon train, Monday, for Montreal, where he will make a short visit with one of his pupils.

A little daughter of Doll Smith's narrowly escaped drowning last Sunday morning. In crossing the river on a flat boat she fell into the water and was not missed until a young man on board saw her come up some distance from the boat, and speedily jumped in and rescued her.

The Ladies' Club most cordially invite the public to visit the Chapel, Thursday afternoon, Aug. 10. The ladies of the Congregational Society will hold their annual fair, and all are invited to come and examine the fancy and useful articles which will be for sale. Ice cream and cake, and homemade candies will be for sale after dinner and evening. Supper will also be served. Further particulars will be found upon the posters.

Nora, the little daughter of Mrs. Agnew, and the late Wallace Farwell, died in Portland, July 29. The remains were brought to Bethel, and the funeral service was held at the Middle Church, Monday afternoon. Mrs. Farwell has the deep sympathy of the community, having been called to mourn the loss of her husband, two children, and a sister in the brief space of twenty-two months. In her Portland home the sympathy of her Bethel friends will follow her.

The water tub on Robinson Hill has been allowed to fall into decay, much to the sorrow of many who have been looking forward to the climb with the expectation of being refreshed at that fountain, and it is thought if the selectmen could see the disappointed, regretful look in the tired eyes, as moistening their parched lips with their tongues, they are urged on their way, untroubled, those worthy fathers of the town would see that a new tub speedily replaced the old. One year ago, this was the only watering place between Bethel village and the granite trough in front of the palatial summer home of W. K. Aston in Shelburne, N. H.

64th Year.  
Students of Gould's Academy will please read the school "ad" in another column and note that the fall term will open Sept. 5, instead of Aug. 25, as stated in the catalogue.

"A Little Spark May Make Much Work."

The little "spark" of bad blood lurking in the system should be quenched with Hood's Sarsaparilla, America's great blood purifier. It purifies, vitalizes and enriches the blood of both sexes and all ages. Cures scrofula, salt rheum, dyspepsia, catarrh.

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# THE UNIVERSALIST FAIR.

The Annual Fair of the Ladies' Circle of the Universalist Society was held at Odeon Hall, Tuesday afternoon and evening. From early morning preparations were going on for what is always the most profitable Circle event of the year. To this all the Society and many outsiders come, and much pleasure and profit is derived. This year a perfect day favored the ladies. The spacious hall was prettily decorated with fancy booths, screens, evergreens, etc., and made a pleasing appearance. Along the entire length of one side, were set extension tables, tastefully dressed in snowy linen and laid with silver china and fancy dishes, with pretty decorations of flowers in profusion. The effect was striking taken in contrast with the bright colors of the booth decorations.

In one corner of the hall was a pretty ice cream booth of evergreens, in charge of Mrs. L. B. Hopkins. This booth was well patronized, day and evening.

The next was the pitcher booth, in charge of Miss Sophia Roberts, where were displayed a large collection of all sizes, shapes, and kinds. The booth was prettily decorated with pink and white bunting and looked very attractive. This table did a good business and was one of the successful features of the fair.

Next came the apron booth with Mrs. B. K. Swift in charge, where could be found aprons for young and old, rich and poor; aprons of all sizes, of all styles, of all colors, of all prices. Necessities like these always sell, and many were disposed of.

The fir-pillow booth, which for the past two years has been a marked feature of the fair, was this time in charge of Miss Bertha Wiley. The large table was heaped with high, pretty pillows of all sizes and designs. The booth was tastefully decorated with goldenrod and ferns, and its effect was most pleasing. Miss Wiley was successful in her sales, and a good sum was realized from this table.

At the head of the hall stood the candy booth prettily decorated in bunting and flags with many Japanese lanterns hung around it. This table, in charge of Miss Joan Stearns and was laden with delicious home-made candies which always find a ready sale at an occasion like this. The table was well patronized.

The fruit punch booth in charge of Mrs. Arthur Barker, was one of the tables which did a good business and Mrs. Barker was kept busy quenching the thirst of visitors of the fair.

The fancy goods booths were in charge of Mrs. E. C. Rowe and Mrs. H. M. Farwell, and comprised of several different tables with handsome displays of a large variety of goods, mostly of local talent, of which Bethel is justly proud. The program was opened by a piano solo by Miss Elsie Hall. Miss Hall is one of Bethel's most promising pianists, and her selection was greatly appreciated.

Then followed a rendition by the ladies' quartette composed of Misses Gibson and Grover, and Mrs. A. G. Wiley and Mrs. E. L. Edwards. As usual the singing of the quartette was greeted with applause, and their work this evening was especially pleasing. The next was a recitation by Mr. E. L. Harvey. Mr. Harvey has appeared several times before local audiences and has a well earned reputation as a speaker. He has taken prizes in the Gould's Academy contests, and he more than made good the standard at this time. The solos by Miss Gibson, Mrs. A. G. Wiley, and Miss Joan Stearns, which next followed, were heartily received. These soloists are among Bethel's best singers, and they never fail to bring out appreciative recognition. Next came another recitation by Mr. Harvey, and a second selection by the ladies' quartette. The program closed with vocal duet by Misses Florence and Barbara Carter, who are so well known in musical circles in Bethel and who are always received with applause. No Bethel musician is complete without their assistance and they like all local singers are ever ready to help. Miss Alice Billings who is always in demand by Bethel vocalists as an accompanist, served this evening with her usual pleasing manner.

A good number attended the concert and it was pronounced a very successful one. Following the concert was a social hop which was enjoyed by many.

The fair was a success, and those who devoted so much time and labor to it should feel gratified at the result.

Card of Thanks.  
We desire to extend our heartfelt thanks to all those who have been so ready to help us with kind words and deeds in our time of great sadness, caused by the drowning of our beloved father and brother.

WALTER CLARK,  
LENA CLARK.

LOST.  
A GOLD WATCH on Main street between the stores of Edward King and Ira C. Jordan, Wednesday morning. The watch was in a box with a silver bracelet and other articles of jewelry. Finder please leave at the News office.

# Ephraim Wight of Gilead was in town Saturday.

E. S. Wight has sold his stand on High St. to W. E. Abbott.  
W. Scott Robinson of Stoneham was in our village, yesterday.

Homer Lyon of New York has been at C. O. Foster's a few days.  
Miss Ethel Richardson is attending the Summer school at Norway.

Miss Ruth Andrews starts today on a business trip to Sugar Hill, N. H.  
The Literary Society meets this afternoon at the home of Miss Olive Wheeler.

T. W. Vashaw of West Bethel has moved into the rent over A. W. Grover's store.  
The tea-table cloth given away by Miss Ruth Andrews, was won by Miss Grace Sanborn, \$8 being the lucky number.

The Tennis Club, Annex, and a few friends were entertained at a delightful piazza hop at the home of Mrs. J. G. Gehring, last Friday evening. The occasion being the farewell of Miss Lillian True to her girlhood friends.

Many friends in this place of Mrs. C. Snyder extend to him their sympathy in the death of his brother-in-law, John W. Brannen, which occurred last Thursday. His death, though not unexpected, is a severe blow to his family. It is remembered Mrs. Brannen made a brief visit to our village at the close of the first of June festival, and to her also we extend our sympathy.

Last Sunday morning the music at the Congregational church was most delightful and helpful. The choir assisted by Mr. Harry Pope, rendered the Te Deum, one of Mr. Pepper's exquisite compositions. The audience who listened to this and Mr. Pepper's solo "Lead Kindly Light" will long remember the inspiration of such music and must fully appreciate Mr. Pepper's kindness in aiding in the worship.

Durward Mason, Arthur Richardson, and E. L. Harvey spent last Thursday night on the top of Bald Mountain. In the early part of the evening their camp-fire was seen from the village, but about nine o'clock the stiff breeze increased to a gale, scattering the embers and sending flames all about the camp. The boys beat out the flames with boughs, and to avoid a recurrence of the experience, they rolled themselves in their blankets and wood. Mr. Harvey, unaided by a camp-fire's cheering glow.

Written for the News.  
In Memoriam.  
John W. Clark, aged 59 years, 10 months; son, Geo. W. Clark, died at his home in Upton, Mass., July 29, 1899.

Seldom does one know of so sad a tragedy in the great drama of life, especially in a small country place like this, as the drowning of a father and eldest son.

John W. Clark was a soldier in the Civil War, and a mason by trade. He went to the lake some ten weeks ago to work for Supt. Culbert on a building being erected on Metlakul Island. Some three weeks ago his son, Geo. W., joined him as a general workman. On July 23, in the afternoon, they, in company with a party of about half a dozen, went to the lake in a small boat. The boat was seen from the island, apparently about a mile up the lake, and it was near this point where the bodies were found.

Supt. Culbert, who has charge of the work on the island, did everything in his power to assist in recovering the bodies. Walter Clark, a younger son of John Clark, went at once to the lake, and he speaks gratefully of all of the kind actions and sympathetic words he received from those who helped him in his mournful task.

The body of Geo. Clark was found entangled in the anchor rope, but several heavy charges of dynamite were used to bring the other bodies to the surface, which they succeeded in doing Friday the 28th. The body of Bowen was taken in charge by New Hampshire authorities, and it was not known whether he had a home anywhere or not.

The remains of the two Clarks were brought to Bethel for burial. The funeral services being held at the M. E. church, Saturday, conducted by the pastor. The church was beautifully decorated—friends striving in this way to express their deep sympathy for the son and daughter, brother and sister, who have been so sadly bereft of their loved ones by the treacherous glassy waves of the lake.

Mr. Clark, as before stated, was a soldier, and so four of his comrades in war bore his remains to their last resting place. Geo. Clark had lived in Massachusetts until within a few years, and was a shoemaker by trade. He belonged to the Junior Order of United American Mechanics.

Just how the fatal accident occurred will ever be shrouded in deepest mystery, but from the circumstances, the most plausible theory is that Geo. Clark in casting an anchor, slipped and fell into the water, and in some manner the boat capsized. It was seen that George clung to the rope even after death.

The only remaining members of the family are Walter and Lena—the two youngest children.

Words are idle at such a time to those who have been called to bear the heavy burden of sorrow, but that God does not always send a lesson we all must learn, for there are few who have not had to "walk down the cypress path" bearing their precious dead.

"We may not talk to the quick, the mystery of death."  
"We may not tell us, if you would, the mystery of death."  
The child who enters life comes not with knowledge or insight, but with a blank page. So those who enter death must go into nothingness. Nothing is known. But I believe that God is And as life is to the living, so is death to the dead."

ADDIE KENDALL MASON.

# ANASAGUNTICOOK HOUSE, WEST BETHEL, ME.

Forty Years Ago.

William Sanborn Goff of Sanford, aged 32 years, who for sometime has been living on the place of Elmer Brackett, situated near North Berwick, Tuesday night, according to the Portland Press, while in an intoxicated condition lay down on the hay mow in the barn. At 11.30 is wife discovered the barn in flames, and was unable to reach it before the walls fell. She had tried to get in to rescue the horse, not thinking that her husband was inside. This morning she discovered his charred remains in the ruins. He is survived by a widow and two children.

Rev. F. W. Sanford of Bethel, Me., has commenced operations again. It is reported on good authority that he has lately received a check for ten thousand dollars to forward the work.

The post office at Belfast has been changed from a second to a third-class office.

A Lewiston young man who intends to build a house next spring is organizing his neighbors before he builds his house. It is not every one who picks out his neighbors before he does his house.

He is finding a dozen young men like himself who are going to build a house, and together they will go out on the line of the electric road and buy a farm in a good location. The farm to be in twelve large lots, and a street laid out down the center, with plenty of room around each house, and shade trees, sidewalk road, and all that. Then there will be uniformity in the building of the houses, and broad lawns will prevail. The projector says that in this way the neighborhood will be selected for the next thirty years at least.

Prof. Robinson of Bowdoin College, to whom was sent the stomach of the late C. R. Sherwood, of Rockland, reported that death was caused by cyanide of potassium. The stomach contents needed in extracting a considerable amount of this substance, and thoroughly identified it. The coroner's jury were unable to determine whether it was with suicidal intent or otherwise.

Portland had a \$10,000 fire last Thursday night. The brick block on the corner of Congress and Centre streets was damaged to that amount. Fire was caused by crossing of electric light wires.

During a heavy shower in Brownville last Wednesday afternoon, lightning caused damage to the extent of \$10,000.

The Holy Ghost sect, otherwise known as the Church of the Living God, organized at Durham, is to locate a branch permanently in Boston. The sale of the property, No. 545 Massachusetts Avenue, the headquarters of the sect, is to be the headquarters.

Frederic Shuman of Waldboro has a barn about 100 years old. The last time it was shingled was 40 years ago, and the roof is still in good condition and water-tight. Hemlock shingles cut in December, were used, and the nails with which they were fastened are made of wrought iron, and were imported from England.

Mr. Alvin B. Brown, who has been superintendent of Forest City Cemetery for the past 12 years, started out in a fishing boat with his son-in-law, Melville A. Darling, about 6 o'clock Saturday evening, intending to spend Sunday down the bay on a fishing excursion.

When they were fastened in the boat, Mr. Brown's hat blew off and in trying to rescue it he fell out of the boat and was drowned.

A. F. Copeland is selling the White sewing machine.

There will be a lawn party Tuesday afternoon and evening Aug. 3, at the Birch near West Bethel. Mr. Brown's hat blew off and in trying to rescue it he fell out of the boat and was drowned.

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FRANK E. HANSON, PRINCIPAL.

# THE UNTRAINED HAND.

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but, unless that man or woman has the practical ability to prepare those materials in such manner that they will yield the finest flavors and afford the greatest amount of nutrition, their theoretical teachings are of comparatively little value. And as in the culinary department, so in every other department of household economics. To give force to a theory, one must have the skill to put it in successful operation. In all useful work, the head and the hand should both be interested. They should supplement and aid each other. The more skillful the hand becomes, the more capable it is of carrying out the conceits of the head and doing the work necessary to be done, in an intelligent and satisfactory manner. The methods of housework that are in vogue in most families are the fruitage of slavery, servitude, and inefficiency, and are a disgrace to the age in which we live. They can be rightly only by the thoughtful brain and skilful hand. And, to accomplish the desired results, the hand must be so trained that it can execute the behests of the head.

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# GRAND TRUNK

TRAINS FROM BETHEL TO PORTLAND RUN

Island Pond, Gorham, Gilead, West Bethel, Bethel, Locke's Mills, Bryant Pond, South Paris, Portland.

TRAINS FROM PORTLAND RUN AS FOLLOWS:

Portland, South Paris, Bryant Pond, Locke's Mills, Bethel, West Bethel, Gilead, Gorham, Island Pond.

Sunday paper train leaving west at 8.30 a.m., Bryant Pond 10.03, Bethel 11.10, Gilead 11.34, Gorham 12.15.

The train which leaves 8.05 a.m., and the Portland at 8.30 p.m. all others every day.

EXCURSIONS  
Sunday excursion Portland at 8.30 a.m., 11.30. Returning 5.07 p.m.

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Island Pond,	A. M. P. M.
Gorham,	2.05 6.05 1.15
Gilead,	3.51 8.25 2.57
West Bethel,	5.40 9.35 3.26
BETHEL,	4.27 9.04 3.33
Locke's Mills,	5.13 9.32 3.42
Bryant Pond,	4.41 9.21 3.50
South Paris,	5.09 9.53 4.19
Portland,	6.40 1.40 5.45

TRAINS FROM PORTLAND TO ISLAND POND RUN AS FOLLOWS:	
Portland,	P. M. A. M.
South Paris,	8.30 1.30 8.15
Bryant Pond,	10.18 3.38 9.40
Locke's Mills,	10.48 4.18 10.23
BETHEL,	11.05 4.38 10.39
West Bethel,	11.12 4.46 10.47
Gilead,	11.25 4.59 10.58
Gorham,	11.50 5.38 11.28
Island Pond,	1.50 8.00 1.18

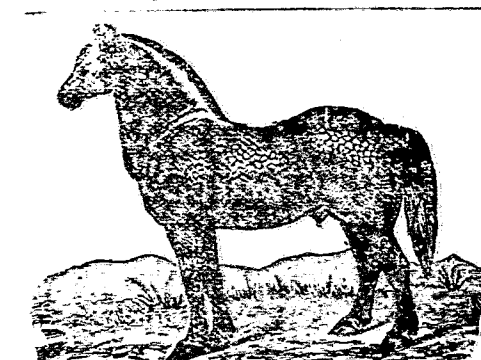
Sunday paper train leaves Portland going west at 8:30 A. M., South Paris 10:19, Bryant Pond 10:51, Locke's Mills 10:59, Bethel 11:10, West Bethel 11:20, Gilead 11:24, Gorham 12:00, arriving in Bethel 12:15.

The train which leaves Island Pond at 2:05 A. M., and the one which leaves Portland at 8:30 P. M., run every day, all others every day except Sunday.

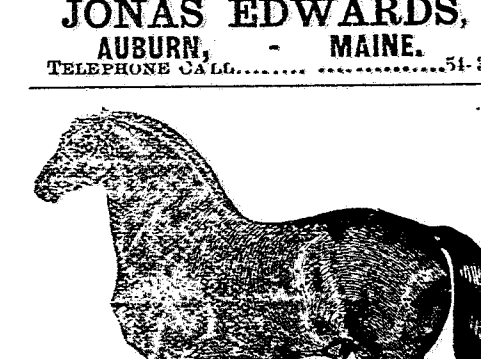
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**L. U. BARTLETT,**  
BETHEL, MAINE.

#### PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:  
At a Probate Court for the County of Oxford, held at the office of the Probate Judge, on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1889, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Probate Judge, in said County, at the right of the said Court, the following matter having been presented for the action thereon heretofore indicated, it is hereby ordered:  
That notice be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel News, a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at said Court to be held at said Bethel, on the third Tuesday of August, A. D. 1889, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon, if they see cause.  
GEORGE E. BARTLEY, late of Norway, deceased, will and petition for Probate thereof presented by William B. Wright, the executor therein named.  
SEWARD S. STEARNS, Judge of said Court.  
Attest: ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

#### Notice of Sale.

Pursuant to a license from the Honorable Judge of Probate for the County of Oxford, I shall sell at Public Auction, on the 15th day of September, A. D. 1889, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Probate Judge, in said County, at the right of the said Court, the following matter having been presented for the action thereon heretofore indicated, it is hereby ordered:  
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Pursuant to a license from the Honorable Judge of Probate for the County of Oxford, I shall sell at Public Auction, on the 15th day of September, A. D. 1889, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Probate Judge, in said County, at the right of the said Court, the following matter having been presented for the action thereon heretofore indicated, it is hereby ordered:  
That notice be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel News, a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at said Court to be held at said Bethel, on the third Tuesday of August, A. D. 1889, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon, if they see cause.  
GEORGE E. BARTLEY, late of Norway, deceased, will and petition for Probate thereof presented by William B. Wright, the executor therein named.  
SEWARD S. STEARNS, Judge of said Court.  
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#### NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the last will and testament of  
**SAMUEL D. PHILBROOK,** late of Bethel, in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for collection, and all indebted thereon are requested to make payment immediately.  
July 15th, 1889. **EMILY J. PHILBROOK.**  
Ripans Tablets: pleasant laxative.  
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#### COUNTY NEWS.

##### WEST BETHEL.

"The teeming days go on. The lazy Summer,  
With happy bird-song, and with oodling down;  
The clover patch all white with apple blossoms;  
The rose-stem pathway, with its dream of love.  
The teeming days go on. The wearied feet wander  
In search of rest amid the cooling bowers.  
While tramping o'er the dried leaves, sad hearts wonder  
That death should sear the seal upon the flowers.  
Dog-days have come.  
Beware of the "kissing bug."  
Beautiful goldenrod is in bloom.  
Grasshoppers are rapidly increasing.

##### LOCKE MILLS.

Mrs. Dudley has a large number of summer boarders.  
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I. I. Young and Steve Foster have been haying for E. L. Tebbets.  
The band is to give a concert at Bryant Pond next Thursday evening.  
Mr. Maxim is picking from two to five hundred baskets of berries daily.  
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Messrs. Pratt and Aldrich of the J. O. U. A. M. Council of West Paris, was the guest of the local council last Thursday evening.

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Station Agent Frank White of Danville was in town last week. Mr. White formerly occupied the same position at South Paris, and was well liked by all.  
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The sled factory operatives are again looking for cigars. Two of their number were married last week.  
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During the civil war, as well as in our late war with Spain, diarrhoea was one of the most troublesome diseases the army had to contend with. In many instances it became chronic and the old soldiers still suffer from it. Mr. David Taylor of Wind Ridge, Greene Co., Pa., is one of these. He uses Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and says he never found anything that would give him such quick relief.  
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#### PICKED UP ABOUT THE COUNTY.

C. W. Carey of Rumford Falls, was recently granted a preacher's license.  
An extensive revival has been in progress for some time in the Methodist church at Rumford Centre. On a recent Sunday, four candidates were received on probation, making twenty-eight probationists on the rolls, and fourteen were baptized.  
The alumni association of Fryeburg Academy, having become favorably impressed with the "Old Home Week" ideas, have issued invitations to the sons and daughters of the Academy, to attend a reunion at Fryeburg, August 17.  
As Elwyn Cram of East Dixfield was getting on the back part of a bicycle, a few days ago, he caught his foot in the chain, and being barefooted, his big toe was cut off before the first joint. He is doing as well as could be expected.  
Charles Howard, one of Lovell's prominent business men, died Wednesday night at 7 o'clock, aged about 55.  
Although the lodge of J. O. U. A. M. to which John E. Richards of Mexico belonged, and of which he was an officer, had voted to pay no benefits for one year from last November, a purse of \$30 was sent by the lodge to the widow, immediately after Mr. Richards' death.  
The buildings of C. B. Benson, Esq., of North Paris, were entirely destroyed by fire, Friday. They were large and commodious and well furnished. It is supposed that they were set on fire by a little boy who had been playing in the barn, as a few moments after, it was all in flames. Loss, probably \$1500. No insurance.  
John W. Pierce, who skipped from the jail-yard at So. Paris, last May, was re-arrested at Woodstock, by Sheriff Tucker, last Thursday. Pierce went to New Hampshire immediately after his escape, but had gradually worked his way back to Woodstock, where he was seen by a Norway party who notified Sheriff Tucker of his whereabouts.  
Fremont H. Tamlin, (not Hamlin), who was arrested in Portland, charged with the burglary of watches and jewelry from the store of the late Ezra Stephens at Bryant Pond, July 5, has been bound over to the Supreme Court. The ball-player, McCormick, who was arrested on suspicion of being an accomplice of Tamlin, has also been bound over.

##### NORWAY.

Ralph Parker has returned from his bicycle trip to No. Conway and the White Mountains.  
Walter Sanborn of Bowdoin College is working this summer with the Oxford Electric Co.  
Soclelexis Concert Co. are entertaining fair-sized audiences in a big tent on the Tannery lot.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. Green of Loganport, Indiana, are visiting at Ben Bacon's. They have lately been at Mrs. Hiram Young's at Bethel.  
The summer school in town is doing finely. Over one hundred and twenty (120) teachers under instruction are registered.  
B. F. Spinney and son, Frank, were in town Wednesday of last week inspecting the shoe industry in which they have a large financial interest.  
Rev. Mr. Wiswall, a former pastor of the Congregational Church, preached in this place last Sunday. Rev. B. S. Rideout will occupy the pulpit as usual next Sabbath, but no preaching services will be held until the second Sunday in September. Special music will be given next Sunday.  
Arthur Hutchins was hurled violently against a tree on Paris St. Monday evening and luckily escaped with a severe shaking up and bruises. The accident was caused by his bicycle suddenly starting at a right angle to the direction in which he was swiftly riding.

##### GROVER HILL.

Languid and still are vale and hill,  
And Nature's face is growing sear;  
The lurid haze of summer days  
Is hung across the atmosphere.  
Cool nights,  
Cold are prevalent here.  
Vegetation grows very slowly.  
The cheese-making season is at hand.  
A. J. Peaslee was in Portland recently.  
Augustus Grover has sold his ducklings to Fred Ordway of Gilead.  
Mrs. May Bartlett entertained the ladies' M. E. circle, Wednesday afternoon and evening.  
E. H. Whitman and family from Worcester, Mass., are rusticating in town. Mrs. Whitman visited friends in Gorham, N. H. last week.  
Mrs. Emma Wheeler Everson and grandson, Garland H. Beal of Rockland, Mass., who were recently guests at A. B. Grover's, are now with relatives in Mason and West Bethel.  
Eugene Grover, who lives in Minnesota, recently sent group pictures of his family taken on the lawn near his residence, to each of his four brothers, Leander, Samuel, George, and Albert.  
"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for years and always with good results," says Mr. W. R. Cooper of El Rio, Cal. "For small children we find it especially effective." For sale by G. R. Wiley, Bethel, and W. H. Crockett, Locke Mills.

##### FOR SALE.

1 Chamber Sled, 1 Stove, 1 Baby Carriage. All are in good condition.  
D. G. Lovejoy.

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Portland, Maine, July 26 1889.  
THE Draperies room shows today for the first time sixty new styles and color combinations in genuine Roman (raw silk) Blankets. Brilliantly bright Oriental colors, soft, silky, luxurious looking things, two or three qualities and several sizes.  
Among them are some very handsome ones with plain olive or scarlet or brown ground with a group of pencil stripes wide apart. These are quite unlike the Roman rugs you've seen before and are especially appropriate for couch covers, summer house portieres, book case curtains and other purposes.  
A beautiful assortment of printed Cretonnes, American made, better than the imported and much more tasteful in design and color. Art designs for upholstery. Printed tickings for screens and for upholstering chairs, window seats and

##### SUNDAY RIVER.

Will Williamson has gone to Conway, N. H.  
Mrs. Sarah Jackson was in Portland last week.  
Judge Foster and wife were guests at C. B. Foster's last Sunday. T. J. Sargent is cutting hay in Riley Plantation.  
Mrs. Hulda Barnes of Portland visited friends in this place, last week.  
Charlie Ellis is spending his vacation at his uncle's, C. D. Atherton.  
Robert Foster and Will Powers recently camped in Riley, one night had good success, fishing.  
MILTON PLANTATION.  
Mabel and Willie Brooks are visiting relatives in Lovell.  
Mrs. Olive Andrews is visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. C. Sweet.  
Mabel Allen returned Sunday, from a two weeks' visit in Portland.  
Miss Ivy Richardson is attending the Summer school for teachers at Norway.  
W. P. Andrews was in town Sunday. His mother went home with him for a visit.  
Mrs. Jennie Hickey and husband of Stark, N. H., are visiting her father, Sumner Sessions.  
Miss McArde of So. Paris, who has been visiting Miss Ivy Richardson, returned to her home Saturday.  
Mrs. Drusilla Jackson, who has been visiting at E. C. Jackson's, returned to her brother's at East Rumford, this week.

##### WILSON'S MILLS.

J. O. Tenney of Gorham, N. H., was in town Friday.  
Ellora Flint is staying at R. A. Storey's for a few days.  
Rev. A. T. Hillman preached at the school-house Sunday.  
Dr. Phipps of Milan and his niece, Miss Angie Paine, were in town Friday.  
Winthrop Estabrook of Nashua, N. H., arrived Monday. R. A. Storey is to guide him.  
Royal S. Bean's two-year-old colt cut his leg very badly on a barbed wire fence, Monday.  
Very heavy thunder showers passed over this place, Friday. Lightning struck a telephone pole in front of the residence of Fred Taylor, demolishing it.  
Dr. Phipps of Milan, and Dr. Jones of Colebrook, were in town Tuesday to attend Mrs. R. A. Storey, who has been very ill. Her friends are glad to hear that she is much better.  
You assume no risk when you buy Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. G. R. Wiley Bethel, A. S. Bean W. Bethel, W. H. Crockett Locke Mills, J. W. Bennett Gilead, A. R. Small Bryant Pond will refund your money if it is not satisfied after using it. It is everywhere admitted to be the most successful remedy in use for bowel complaints and the only one that never fails. It is pleasant, safe and reliable.

##### MAGALLOWAY.

School in Magalloway Plantation closed July 27. The following pupils were not absent during the term: Cora Bennett, Johnny Bennett, Agnes Linnell, Charlie Linnell, Claud Linnell, Ray Linnell, Lillian Littlehale, Lillian Paterson, Perley Paterson, and Ellen Ripley. Those mentioned below were not tardy during the term: Estella Crimmins, Agnes Linnell, Charlie Linnell, Claud Linnell, Ray Linnell, Lillian Littlehale, and Geneva Ripley.  
Devos lead and zinc lasts twice as long; is better in every respect; is ready to dip the brush in; you can depend on the colors; no mystery; no uncertainty; costs no more; costs less.  
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Yours truly,  
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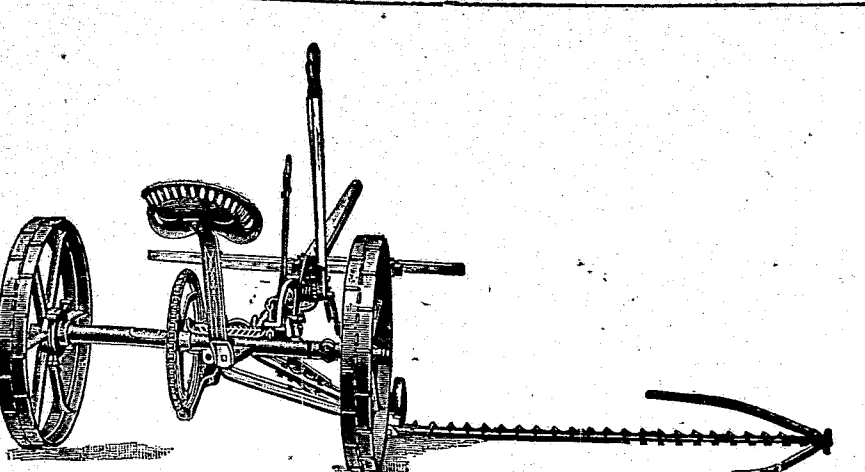
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By a special and particular arrangement with the manufacturers, our readers can try this grand medicine absolutely free. By simply sending your full name and post office address to the DR. DAVID KENNEDY CORPORATION, Rondout, N.Y., mentioning this paper, when a trial bottle of Favorite Remedy is together with a pamphlet of valuable medical advice, will be sent you by mail postpaid.  
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LOT II. 19 pairs Misses' Cloth Top, Button and Lace, sizes, 13, 1 and 2. Regular price \$1.50, now \$1.00.  
LOT III. 78 pairs Women's Slippers, Black and Brown, Narrow Widths and Narrow Toes, all sizes. Regular price \$1.25, now \$1.00.  
LOT IV. 100 pairs Women's Oxfords, Narrow Widths, sizes, 2, 1-2, 3, 3 1-2, 4, 6, 6 1-2, 7. Former price \$1.25, 1.50 and \$2.00, now \$1.00.  
LOT V. 38 pairs Women's Boots, Button and Lace, all sizes, Narrow Widths. Regular price \$2.50, now \$1.50.  
LOT VI. 65 pairs Women's Button Boots, Narrow Widths, sizes, 2, 1-2, 3, 3 1-2, 4 and 6. Regular price \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00, now \$1.00.  
LOT VII. 38 pairs Women's Boots, Narrow Widths, sizes, 2, 1-2, 3, 3 1-2 and 4. Regular price \$2.00, now \$1.50.  
LOT VIII. 66 pairs Men's Calf Congress, all sizes. Regular price \$2.00 and \$2.50, now \$1.50.  
LOT IX. 12 pairs Men's Congress Shoes, Narrow toes, sizes, 5, 6 and 8. Regular price \$2.00, now \$1.00.  
LOT X. 52 pairs Men's Congress and Lace, Calf, Box Calf, Willow Calf and Vici Kid, Black and Brown, Narrow Toes. Regular price \$3.00 and \$3.50, now \$2.00.  
LOT XI. 50 pairs Men's Calf Congress and Lace, Plain Wide Toe. Regular price \$3.00, now \$2.00.  
LOT XII. 38 pairs Women's Cloth Top, Lace Boots. Regular price \$2.00, now \$1.50.  
We also have a full stock in our regular lines. The Sorosis Boots and Oxfords, Women's Spring Heel Boots and Oxfords a specialty. A full line of Trunks, Bags, Suit and Extension Cases.  
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